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Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to deny your refund request in the amount of \$160.00, for patent/serial number 09851601.

There was an notice of Appeal filed 7-21-03. The refund has been denied.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Denise Boyd", is written over the printed name.

Denise Boyd
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